



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

An American Baptist Congregation Serving Los Angeles Since 1874

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CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAY

JUNE 11, 2017 – 11:00 A.M.

The Church at **WORSHIP**

Please **turn off or mute all cell phones and pagers.**

All members and guests, please **note your presence** on the attendance card in the bulletin and place it in the basket when the offering is received.

OPENING VOLUNTARY

God's Gift Praise Dancers

CARILLON

O God, our Help in Ages Past

St. Anne

OPENING HYMN

FBC Children's Chorus

113 – *Jesus Loves Me*

Jesus Loves Me

(Spanish Hymnal 511; Korean Hymnal 411)

INVOCATION

Miss Giselle Artola

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who have sinned against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

FBC Youth Praise Team

Inside, Pg. 3 – *How Great Is Our God*

Chris Tomlin

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

Miss Angie Loaisiga

The peace of the Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

STATEMENT OF THE OCCASION

Felton and Barack Johnson

AFFIRMATION OF FELLOWSHIP

IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Miss Sofia Herrera

261 – *There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit*

Sweet, Sweet Spirit

(Spanish Hymnal 259; Korean Hymnal 216 in the back)

CHILDREN'S HANDBELL MEDLEY

In My Heart, Praise Him, Tell Me of Jesus

CALL TO PRAYER

Inside, Pg. 3 – *Jesus Loves the Little Children*

C. H. Woolston, G. F. Root

PASTORAL PRAYER

The Rev. Dr. Bullock

SOLO PRAYER RESPONSE

Laysha Ibarra, *guest soloist*

Ave Maria

Franz Schubert

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

**PRESENTATION OF
THE ARLO REICHTER AWARD**

Ms. Ann Brodie

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

Mr. Matias Herrera

**PRESENTATION OF TITHES
AND OFFERINGS**

ANTHEM

Cathedral Choir

Strong, Gentle Children

Dan Damon, arr. K. Irwin

Strong, gentle children, God made you beautiful, gave you the wisdom and power you need; speak in the stillness all you are longing for; live out your calling to love and to lead. Strong, hurting children, angry and terrified, open the secret your life has concealed; though you are wounded know you are not to blame, cry out your story till truth is revealed. Strong, knowing children, offer your cry aloud, honor the wisdom God gave you at birth; speak to your elders till they have heard your voice; sing out your vision of healing on earth.

(Dan Damon)

DOXOLOGY (Hymn 47)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly hosts: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

Miss Samantha Aguilar

Romans 12:1-2

MUSIC OF PREPARATION

Dr. Cynthia Felton

What About the Children

Bebe Winans

SERMON

Dr. Norman Bullock

“WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO WITH THE REST OF YOUR LIFE?”

HYMN OF INVITATION

FBC Children’s Chorus

Inside, Pg. 3 – *This Little Light of Mine*

spiritual

Those interested in uniting with First Baptist are invited to come forward during the hymn. You may come by Confession of Faith and request baptism, by Christian experience, or by transfer of letter from another congregation.

BENEDICTION

and **CHORAL RESPONSE**

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

God’s Gift Praise Dancers

You are invited to be seated for the closing voluntary. If you are unable to stay, please leave quietly in consideration for those who wish to listen.

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LOOKING AHEAD

FATHER'S DAY, SUNDAY

JUNE 18, 2017

9:30 a.m.

Church School Classes For All Ages

11:00 a.m.

Worship in the Sanctuary

"THE ANATOMY OF

A FAITHFUL FATHER"

(Please read Hebrew 11:1-7

in preparation)

DR. NORMAN BULLOCK, Preaching



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